

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Luo, et al.
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Examiner:	Marcantoni, Paul D.
For:	FIBER CEMENT COMPOSITE MATERIALS USING BLEACHED CELLULOSE FIBERS

VIA EFS-WEB

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 16, 2008

(Submission under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.114(c))

Sir:

The Amendment is being submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. The Office Action mailed January 16, 2008, established a three-month shortened statutory period to respond, or by April 16, 2008. As this response is being filed on or before July 16, 2008, a three-month extension of time is respectfully requested. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment set forth herein and allowance of the claims currently pending.

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